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Senate Bill 321

By: Senator Douglas of the 17th

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend an Act creating the Henry County Water and Sewerage Authority, approved
- 2 March 28, 1961 (Ga. L. 1961, p. 2588), as amended, so as to provide a short title; to provide
- 3 that such authority shall not have the authority to restrict access to a reservoir from owners
- 4 of property surrounding such reservoir; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:
- 6 SECTION 1.
- 7 This Act shall be known and may be cited as the "Spencer Reid Henry County Reservoir Act
- 8 of 2007."
- 9 SECTION 2.
- An Act creating the Henry County Water and Sewerage Authority, approved March 28, 1961
- 11 (Ga. L. 1961, p. 2588), as amended, is amended by adding a new section to read as follows:
- 12 "SECTION 5.2.
- 13 Notwithstanding any provision of Section 5 of this Act, the authority shall not have the
- 14 power to restrict or regulate access to a reservoir under the ownership or control of the
- authority from the owners of private property abutting such reservoir. Such access shall
- include, but not be limited to, the launching of vessels across property in which the authority
- has an interest which directly abuts such privately owned property."
- SECTION 3.
- 19 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.